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1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM SENATOR TED STEVENS  
OF ALASKA TO MR. MIKE TODD OF STEVENS' OFFICE.

2. FIRST MORNING IN MOSCOW AUGUST 14 RECEIVED BRIEFING ON  
US-SOVIET RELATIONS BY AMERICAN EMBASSY CHARGE, ADOLPH DUBS  
AND EMBASSY STAFF. FROM THERE TO SOVIET MINISTRY OF  
FISHERIES FOR MEETING WITH DEPUTY MINISTER ORLOV; DEPUTY  
CHIEF OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF CADRES AND EDUCATION  
INSTITUTIONS, IKONNIKOV-TSIPULIN; VICE CHIEF OF THE DEPART-  
MENT OF COMMERCIAL FISHING, GULBADAMOV; AND ACTING CHIEF  
OF THE FOREIGN FISHERIES DEPARTMENT, KUTAKOV. MEETING  
OVERVIEW OF SOVIET FISHERIES, EMPHASIS MY REQUEST ON  
SOVIET EDUCATIONAL METHODS USED TO PREPARE YOUNGSTERS TO  
ENTER FISHERIES OR ADVANCE SKILLS AFTER FISHERIES  
EXPERIENCE. DISCUSSION CONTINUED IN AFTERNOON WITH  
IKONNIKOV-TSIPULIN RE DETAIL EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM.  
PROCESS INVOLVES NATION-WIDE COMPLEX OF FIVE FISHERIES  
UNIVERSITIES, TWENTY-FIVE TECHNICAL SECONDARY SCHOOLS,  
AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS OFFERING FISHERIES EDUCATION.  
ALSO CORRESPONDENCE COURSES AND TRAINING SHIPS FOR BOTH  
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THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL FISH PRODUCTION LEARNING, AND

ON-THE-JOB TRAINING WITH THE FLEETS. SYSTEM ANNUALLY GRADUATES ABOUT 10,000 PERSONS INTO FISHERIES JOBS.

3. MEETINGS PRELIMINARY TO OBSERVATION, OVER THE NEXT SEVEN DAYS, OF SOME OF THE FISHERIES AND NAUTICAL SCHOOLS AT LENINGRAD, KHABAROVSK AND NAKHODKA ON THE EASTERN SIBERIAN COAST.

4. THURSDAY MET IN MOSCOW WITH DR A.S. BOGDANOV, DIRECTOR, ALL-UNION RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF MARINE FISHERIES AND OCEANOGRAPHY. DR. BOGDANOV PARTICIPATED IN BILATERAL FISHERIES TREATY NEGOTIATION FOR THE SOVIETS AND HAD VISITED BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA. HE DESCRIBED SOVIET WORLD-WIDE FISHERIES RESEARCH ACTIVITIES AND ALSO DEMONSTRATED A RECENT EXAMPLE OF HOW RESEARCH PAID OFF. HIS INSTITUTION DISCOVERED THAT THE DIMINISHMENT OF WHALES IN THE OCEAN OFF ANTARCTICA CREATED SURPLUSES IN ONE OF THE WHALE'S FOOD STOCKS, A SMALL SHRIMPLIKE CREATURE CALLED "KRILL." THESE HIGH-PROTEIN CREATURES NOW HARVESTED AND MARKETING HERE. SAMPLED FORMS OF KRILL PRODUCTS, INCLUDING A BASIC KRILL PASTE, AND COMBINATIONS WITH CHEESES AND BUTTER. ALL WERE GOOD AND, AM INFORMED, HIGHLY NUTRITIONAL.

5. SO FAR PLEASED WITH COOPERATIVE QUALITY OF DISCUSSIONS WITH SOVIET FISHERIES OFFICIALS. ONE NOTE GOOD NEWS: SOVIETS APPARENTLY HAVE NO FORESEEABLE INTENTION TO RESUME FISHING KING CRAB OFF ALASKA. ALSO, MY IMPRESSION THAT U.S. "SPECIES" CONCEPT OF FISHERIES JURISDICTION, MAY NOT BE FAR APART FROM BASIC SOVIET POSITION ON LAW OF SEA.

6. ON A DIFFERENT SUBJECT, ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON MET WITH OFFICIALS USSR MINISTRY OF CONSTRUCTION OF PETROLEUM AND GAS INDUSTRY ENTERPRISES. DISCUSSED SOVIET WORK IN THE FIELD OF OIL PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION. HAVE INFORMED MINISTRY I WILL ASK PRESIDENT NIXON TO APPROVE EXCHANGE TRIPS OF STATE, FEDERAL, AND INDUSTRY PEOPLE TO STUDY ARCTIC PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION PROBLEMS. SPECIFICALLY, WILL SUGGEST THAT US AND ALASKA GROUP VISIT SITE SOVIET ARCTIC GAS PIPELINE IN YAKUTIA, AND NORILSK, CONSTRUCTED SIX YEARS

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AGO, TO STUDY CONSTRUCTION METHODS AND ENVIRONMENTAL EFFORTS. MINISTRY INDICATED PROPOSAL WOULD BE VIEWED AS CONSISTENT WITH RECENT US-SOVIET AGREEMENTS.

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